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SUBJ SPECIAL MEDIATOR SUBMITS PROPOSALS

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1. SPECIAL MEDIATOR MR. JUSTICE HENRY HUTCHEON HAS SUBMITTED NON-BINDING RECOMMENDATIONS FOR SETTLEMENT OF FOREST INDUSTRY STRIKE IN B.C. CANADIAN PAPER WORKERS UNION AND PULP, PAPER AND WOODWORKERS OF CANADA, HAVE REJECTED HUTCHEON S RECOMMENDATIONS.

2. CITING UNREASONABLE EXPECTATIONS AND POSSIBILITY OF B.C. INDUSTRY PRICING ITSELF OUT OF THE MARKET, HUTCHEON RECOMMENDED TWO-YEAR CONTRACT WITH TOTAL WAGE INCREASE OF DOLS 1.55 AN HOUR. THIS WOULD INCLUDE A 24 CENT COST-OF-LIVING PAYMENT ALREADY BEING RECEIVED. A COLA CLAUSE IN THE RECOMMENDATION WOULD TAKE EFFECT ONLY IF INFLATION RISES MORE THAN 11 PERCENT.

3. OTHER FEATURES OF RECOMMENDATION INCLUDE ITEMS DEALING WITH OVERTIME AND SHIFT WORK.

4. MAJOR UNIONS INVOLVED HAVE REACTED NEGATIVELY TO PROPOSALS. FOREST INDUSTRY SPOKESMEN HAVE NOT YET COMMENTED.

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